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PETITION SCHOOL BOARD TO ESTABLISH NIGHT SCHOOL

Number Of Young People Who Work During Day Desire Educations.

DIRECTORS MEET TONIGHT

Will Take Up Matter And Probably Grant The Request.

A petition containing over one hundred names will be presented to the Charleroi School Board tonight, to establish night school established here for the benefit of those who have not had the advantages of an education, and have to work to support themselves, and who feel the need of more learning to enable them to cope with their fellows in the daily battle of life.

The petition follows:

To the School Directors of the Borough of Charleroi.

Gentlemen—We the undersigned subscribers of the borough of Charleroi petition your honorable body to provide a night school for us. We are unable to attend the Public school on account of having to labor during the day, and will kindly appreciate anything you may be able to do for us in the way of education.

The signers of the petition are young men and a few young ladies of town of various ages, foreigners and Americans. The paper was circulated by Louis Tacceli, a barber of McKean avenue.

It is thought the School Board will establish the desired night school, as they are thought to be heartily in favor of it

OPENING AT BERRYMANS IS WELL ATTENDED

The annual fall opening of J. W. Berryman and son, Wednesday afternoon and evening was a grand success, everything combining to make it an auspicious one. All afternoon and evening a steady stream of admiring ladies poured through the three large rooms inspecting the beautiful new designs so artistically displayed. The manager, Mr. Langdon and his able assistants had arranged the interior of the store to the best advantage, and everyone who visited the place was highly pleased. Not a single unpleasant incident occurred to mar the success of the opening.

On the first floor were displayed the various merchandise pertaining to a modern dry good's store. The department which attracted the most attention was of course the millinery. Miss Maud Spidell, the head of the department, well known as an artist in her profession had surely surpassed all previous efforts in the extremely lovely hats created under her supervision. Her efforts were appreciated, as was evidenced by the many hats which were sold during the day. The ladies suit and fur section under the able management of Misses Della Ward and Etta Gault was also a great attraction. The new costumes shown so plentifully were really very handsome. The appearance of

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Last Three Dances Of Season At Park

The last three dances of the season at Eldora park will be this evening, Friday evening and Saturday evening. As this is fine weather for open air dancing it is presumed many will attend.

HIGH SCHOOL IN CROWDED CONDITION

The Charleroi High school is in a rather crowded condition. While two rooms are occupied, there is an uncomfortableness existing from the numbers. This year's freshman class is larger than any before in the history having forty members. The instructors, Profs. Hudson and Smith are kept very busy with the work, having the large number in hands.

Old Maid's Convention.

The Old Maids Convention will be held Friday evening, October 9 in the Charleroi School hall. Admission, 25 cents. Children 10 cents.

Escaping Gas Ignited And Damage Done

At noon yesterday a fire occurred at the home of Mrs. Ferree Sanders in Anton street, Monongahela. It was caused by the igniting of gas which had leaked from a jet in the basement kitchen. Mrs. Sanders had been washing and had been using the gas. For some reason she failed to turn off the gas and it eventually was ignited from the fire in the stove. Mrs. Sanders who was in the room at the time suffered slight burns and a large quantity of the hair of her head was burned off.

The blaze quickly spread and by the time the lady was able to give the alarm the entire room was a mass of flames. When the alarm was at last turned in for the volunteer department, the side of the kitchen was burning furiously. A bucket brigade was formed and by carrying water from a cistern on the property of Mrs. Mary Gee, did excellent and efficient work. When the firemen arrived the blaze was about extinguished and it was not necessary to turn on the stream. The damage will not exceed $100.

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BRAKEMAN SUSTAINS INJURIES

G. H. Bebout, a brakeman on a scale shifter of the Monongahela Division, P. R. R., stationed at West Brownsville yards had both legs severed from the body last night, when the brake stick of the car on which he was riding broke, precipitating him under the car. Eighteen cars passed over the man's legs before he was picked up.

When found the injured brakeman was still conscious. The crew of his train picked him up and took him to the Brownsville station, where medical attention was given by Dr. Lilley, of that place, who accompanied by two of the train crew, took him to Pittsburg, to the Allegheny General Hospital. One leg was severed at the hip and the other at the knee.

Bebout was 38 years of age and has a wife and two children living in Pittsburg. He is a veteran railroad man having been connected with the Pennsylvania system since he was a boy. For sometime he was a freight conductor, but when the depression in business came, he was forced to accep the position of brakeman. He was well known and immensely popular along the valley.

County May Be Facing Suit Over Bridge

The county is now threatened with a damage suit growing out of the destruction of the bridge over Raccoon creek in Smith township, near Cherry Valley, by fire on the night of August 12. Three parties claimed to have received injuries Friday night by a horse and buggy going over one of the abatements.

The bridge was an old one and beyond repair. The commissioners laid the proposition of a new bridge before the August term grand jury. County Engineer Wiley had prepared an estimate placing the costs of a new structure at about $1,000. The grand jury turned down the petition for a new bridge. It is generally believed that the old structure was purposedly fired. The township supervisors, it is said, have failed to put up a barricade at that point to warn the public.

The threatened suit involves a nice question of the liability of the township and the county for damages.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are for weak back, backache, rheumatic pains, inflammation of the bladder and all other annoyances due to weak kidneys. They are sold by Piper Bros. end

INVENTION WILL PROVE VALUABLE

Two miners of Monongahela have received a patent for a device to be used in the sprinkling of mines, and which it is thought will be a big factor in the work of preventing mine explosions, which have been so frequent in this section in the past year. The invertion is to be used in the sprinkling of dust. The dust explosions, it is claimed has been the cause of nearly all of the mine disasters in the past, and it was with this end in view that the invention was devised.

The patent was received the first of this week, having been applied for on the 29th day of last January. The inventors, Peter Doney and Alexander P. Cochrane, value the invention at $60,000. One of the mines will be manufactured and tested. If it proves successful and there is little doubt that it will, the contract will be let for the making of more.

Winnett—Ranhke.

Elizabeth Ranhke and Benjamin C. Winnett, both of Speers, were married yesterday at the Baptist parsonage Monongahela. The bride and groom will make their home at Speers. Both the people are well known in Charleroi.

MONESSEN MAN INVESTIGATING ALLEGED THEFT OF POCKETBOOK

Robert Ruth, of Monessen, went to Pittsburg yesterday to identify a pocketbook found on the person of a pickpocket arrested by detectives. Mr. Ruth was in Pittsburg Monday and while alighting from a street car was jostled heavily but thought nothing of the ocurrence until later when he found his pocketbook was missing. It contained $25. Mr. Ruth made no report of the matter to the police. Tuesday a pickpocket was nabbed by detectives and a pocketbook found on his person was found to contain $25 and a furniture lease bearing the name of C. S. Pore and Robert Ruth of Monessen. The latter was immediately wired to come and appear against the man.

Two Hurt in Explosion.

A keg of powder exploded at Lock No. 3, Monongahela river, near Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon, and burned Joe Gondas that he will probably die at the McKeesport hospital. John Nosh, who was burned about the face and hands, is at his home in a critical condition. A shanty was torn to pieces.

INTERLOCUTORY ADJUDICATION IS HANDED DOWN BY THE COURT

An interlocutory adjudication has been handed down by the court in the partition proceedings of F. B. Richards against Van L. Speers of Speers and others. There was no question involved regarding the right of the plaintiff for a partition, but there was involved an interpretation of a bequest as to how much the plaintiff was entitled to. The question of law arose out of the language used in the will of Naomi Bell Richards, the deceased wife of the plaintiff, which is as follows: "Being of sound mind, though in feeble health, I, Naomi Bell Richards, will and b equeath all my right, title and interest in the estate of my father, Noah Speers, deceased, situate in the state of Pennsylvania, to be equally divided between my husband, Frank Bell Richards, and our children, Campbell A., Harry U., Kate E., John E., Jane A., Fred A., Frank Bell and George O., my personal property being already disposed of." The question was, did she give her husband one-half interest in the property and the other half to the children, or did it give him one-ninth and each of the children a ninth. The court decided each is entitled to one-ninth.

HUNTERS GETTING GUNS READY FOR KILLING OF GAME

Local nimrods have been purchasing guns and ammunition in preparation for the fall shooting, as the season for most of the game found in this vicinity opened today.

Pheasants, prairie chicken, grouse and woodcock are now in season and may be shot until November 30. They are reported to be quite plentiful this year, in fact, more so than they have been in many years, since stringent game laws have been invoked for their protection.

Squirrel also are to be found in great numbers this season, as the nut-crop in this locality is good. Gray squirrels have become quite scarce, but the red variety is still to be found in an abundance. The open season begins today and continues until November 30.

Wild turkey will be in season October 15 to November 30 Indications are that quantities of them will be found in Fulton and Bedford counties, and owing to the good grain and berry crop the quality will be unusually good.

Bears, which will be in season from today to February 28, are still quite numerous in the northern part of the State, although the recent forest fires have undoubtedly killed great numbers of them, as is the case with all game.

Rabbits will be as plentiful as they usually are and may be shot from October 15 to November 30. No shortage is reported in snipe, plover or ducks, which are now in season.

Woodsmen say partridges have never been more numerous than this season. The open season is from November 1 to 30.

I will sell at private sale my household goods. J. S. Wilson, 306 Woodland avenue. 424tp

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ALL ROAD WORK WELL IN HAND

County Engineer William Wiley reports that all road work under direction of the county is well in hand. The improvement at Burgettstown, N. C. Hunter, contractor, has been completed and accepted. The Hallam Construction company is making good progress on their contract from Locust avenue, Washington, to McClane's. They have also made a good start on the Westland pike. The W. H. Howley Construction company is making fair progress on the West Middletown and Finleyville roads and work has been nicely started on the Dry Run road.

Hundreds of This Place in Pittsburg

Hundreds of Charleroi people are in Pittsburg today to see the big parade. All the morning trains had special coaches, while nearly all the morning trolley cars were crowded. Many also went in the afternoon.

Echo Of Fight At Tenth Street

George Kendwech, Mike Gaydoskey, Joe Polisk and Joe Kiso have been arrested by the police and will be given hearings tonight before the burgess on a charge of disorderly conduct. They are said to have been among those in the fight at Tenth street Saturday night.

New Attractions at the Star.

Fred R. Edmunds as Maruitch's Husband, his impersonation of the Italian character is said to be one clever, and the burlesque of the Merry Widow Waltz has made a decided hit wherever he has shown.

Ansel and Donan, known as The Novelty Hand Balancers Supreme, are said to have a new and entertaining act. These big acts will be followed by illustrated songs and moving pictures, and the admission to the show is only 10c.

Meeting Tonight.

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Merchants' Association will be held at the Association Rooms, Kirk and Clark Bldg., this evening, at 8:30 o'clock.

Justice Queer In Pennsylvania

Washington, Oct. 1.—Justice is a queer bird in Pennsylvania, remarked a Washington citizen today. A resident of Houston was recenlty fined $100 for catching 10 bass in Chartiers creek to place in his aquarium. A few days later a pipe line belonging to the South West Pipe Lines, a branch of the Standard Oil company, which crosses Ten Mile creek, broke and the oil killed thousands of fish. One person counted 210 fine bass in one pool dead from an over dose of oil. If the oil company could have been fined for its carelessness at the rate of $10 per fish, the state could have built several miles of good road.

Curfew to Ring One Hour Sooner

Tonight, the police announce, curfew will ring at 8 o'clock instead of 9, as during the summer months.

THIEVES OPERATE AT BURGETTSTOWN

Burgettstown Sept. 30.—On a charge of stealing meat from the various tents on the fair grounds last night James Rogers, colored, was arrested this morning by Officer Rittson and Davidson. He was placed in the lockup and will be given a hearing before Justice Linn.

It is believed that an organized gang was at work on the grounds as several thefts were reported from the various tents. An effort was being made this evening to locate the balance of the gang.

You cannot enjoy a good meal if you have indigestion. Mi-o-na stomach tablets are guaranteed by Piper Bros. to cure the worst case of stomach trouble.

Unique Invitations For Press Meeting

Unique invitations have been sent out by the Monongahela Valley Press Association, for their next meeting to be held Saturday of this week at Donora, the guests of the Daily News and the American. The invitations were sent out by Roman E. Kochler, of the latter journal, who is a justice of the peace of Donora. They are in the form of a summons, reading that the person to whom they are sent shall be present on "Saturday the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1908, between the hours of 8 o'clock p. m. and 9 o'clock, p. m. of the said day to answer the Monongahela Press Association, charge of being a Newspaper Man."

RIVER TOWNS ARE WELL REPRESENTED

Pittsburg, Oct. 1.—The upper Monongahela river towns were well represented in the river demonstration yesterday. The packet Columbia, Capt. Lloyd, arrived yesterday morning with an excursion party numbering 128 from Fairmont, the head of navigation in the Monongahela river. Another large excursion came in on the packet J. C. Woodward from Morgantown, Greensboro and Rices Landing, in time to participate in the marine parade. The J. C. Woodward left last evening for the through trip to Fairmont. There will be a packet departing today for Monongahela river points. The steamer Columbia will clear this afternoon for Fairmont with the remainder of the excursion party who remained over for the street parade and exposition.

Supreme Officers Here.

Something good is in store for the members of Court 41, Tribe of Ben Hur at the Regular meeting tonight. Two Supreme officers will be present and will conduct an initiation of a large class. Social session afterwards, lunch included. 43t1p

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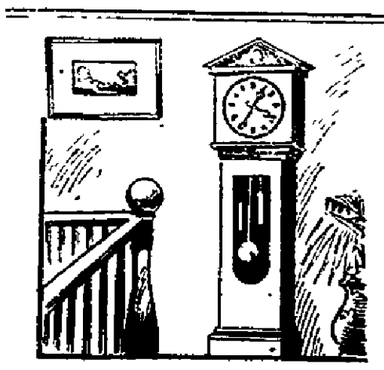

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Oct. 1 In History.

1781—James Lawrence, naval hero, born; died of wounds, 1813, on his vessel, the Chesapeake

1898—First joint conference of the American and Spanish peace commissioners at Paris

1904—Sir William Vernon Harcourt, successor to Gladstone as Liberal leader in the British house of commons, died; born 1827

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:39, rises 5:54; moon sets 9:23 p. m.; moon's age 7 days; planet Mercury visible low in the west after sunset. Constellations visible, 8:30 p. m. in October: Overhead, Cygnus, Pegasus, Delphinus; north, Ursa Minor, Ursa Major, Cepheus; northeast, Auriga, Pisces, Cassiopeia; east, Perseus, Cassiopeia; east, Taurus, Aries, Pisces; southeast, Cetus, Sculptor; south, Aquarius, Capricornus, Piscis Australis; west, Aquila, Hercules, Ophiuchus; northwest, Lyra, Corona Borealis, Draco. Bright stars visible, same hour: Overhead, Deneb; northeast, Capella; east, Aldebaran; west, Altair; northwest, Vega. Planets in October: Mercury visible in west after sunset, first 11 days; Venus rises between 2 and 3 a. m.; Mars rises about 4:30 a. m; Jupiter rises from 3 to 1:30 a. m; Saturn rises at about sunset; Uranus and Neptune, always invisible, at opposite quadratures with the sun. Sun in constellation Virgo till 29th, then Libra. Orionid meteors, radiating from constellation Orion, rising late in east, from the 14th to 24th

Night School,

The cause of the local people who are endeavering to have a night school started here for the benefit of the aboring class is a worthy one, and one that will gain the attention of the directors of the Charleroi Public schools at their meeting tonight. A way should be provided for the hundred or more persons in this town, Americans and foreigners, who have had little chance to secure even the rudiments of an education, to become better versed so that they are able to carry on their work more advantageously and have far more strength with which to engage daily in the struggle to gain and retain a position in this world, of trust and honor.

The Charleroi School Board will surely provide some way so that the desires of the hundred or more persons who signed the petition to that body, will be granted.

Cigaret Must Go.

Judges of the supreme court of the state of Washington have decided the cigaret must go, having agreed that the anti-cigaret law, enacted by the legislature of 1907, is constitutional. This reverses a ruling by Judge E. H. Sullivan of the Spokane county superior court, who declared it unconstitutional, from the fact that the title of of the law is in conflict with its provisions. the decision by the upper court means it is unlawful to manufacture, sell or give away paper rolls or "The makings" in any other part of the commonwealth.

Great Foe.

The great foe to home, peace and happiness is worry. The habit of worry keeps us crossing bridges before we reach them. The evils that fret us most are those which threatens us but have not yet arrived. Stop worrying about the bread that you are afraid will not rise, the new dress you are sure the dressmaker will spoil, and the next month's rent. If you will firmly resolve to worry only about the evil of special hardship this hour or minute and can't be avoided ninety-nine cases out of one hundred you will find there is not much evil or hardship

Electric Sparks.

Irwin's chief executive has been ignobly licked. Primitive justice does not hesitate to maul the majesty of the law when occasion seems to require.

Why a jury should again be sworn to determine the question of Harry Thaw's sanity or insanity, when it is only a few months since he was acquitted on the charge of murder, because a jury believed him insane, is a puzzle to the layman.

A Connecticut horse refused to eat $1300 in bills that had been hidden in a bag of oats, which indicates that for its owner the thirteen was not so unlucky.

He is a brave man who carries a gun on his shoulder in time of war; he is a coward who carries one in his pocket in time of peace, declares the Epitomist.

"A clever woman can sometimes make a fool of a man, but it takes a fluffy little thing with a baby face and no brains or morals to speak of to make him make a fool of himself."

"Did Mr. Haskell organize all the trusts?"—Boston Globe. No, but his standing around Democratic national headquarters didn't seem impaired by the fact that he had visible connections with the biggest of them.

A "modern" house is advertised with "seven sleeping rooms, seven bathrooms and ten rooms for servants." Modern enough, surely!

Rains have saved the Adirondack forests and put out the forest fires in Maine, Pennsylvania and Canada. When Jupiter Pluvius gets down to work he stands at the head of fire-extinguishers.

The crippled in mind or body are entitled to the sincere sympathy and the generous support of their more fotunate neighbors. Why not the crippled in spirit?

The following bit of wisdom from the Connellsville Courier is worthy of repetition.

"The Charleroi foreigner who was driven to suicide on account of $3 worth of law set an example at once bad and good. His rash and fatal act was bad in every sense. It was bad taste and bad judgment. But his dislike for the law was one which might be cultivated by many good citizens with profit to themselves and the community.

Opening At Berrymans Well Attended

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the ladies neckware, the silks and dress goods, ladies embroidery, waists and infant goods departments under the different management of Misses Estenfelder, Stroud, Phalan, Velletay, Phillips, Richards and Osborne, were highly complimentary to the skill, of these ladies.

The opening Wednesday inaugurated a ten day sale. If the crowd yesterday can be taken as an indication, Messrs. J. W. Berryman and Son will meet with every success during the fall and winter seasons.

Contract For New Station.

The contract for the new passenger station for the Panhandle railroad at Canonsburg, is in the hands of Vetsor, Stewart and Rossel, of Washington, Pa. It will cost about $50,000. The old building has been moved to another site and will be used for a freight station. This is one of several new passenger stations for which plans were prepared last year. Work on most of the new structures has been postponed.

Read The Mail.

Briefs of the County

Crossecreek, Sept. 30.—Officers of this section are searching the surrounding country for Finis Myers an old soldier who is charged with taking $51.75 from the home of Washington Snodgrass of this place.

Paris, Sept. 30.—The shooting of Howard Howe, of Colliers, on the Robert and Henry Caldwell farm near this village last week is still shrouded in mystery. The name of the person who fired twe shots has not been learned. Howe is still in a very critical condition in the Steubenville hospital but the attending physicians hold out a ray of hope.

Canonsburg, Sept. 30.—John J. Delaney, a mine foreman at the Pittsburg-Buffalo company's Hazel mine had his foot crushed yesterday afternoon, while riding on the front of an electric motor in the mine.

Burgettstown, Sept. 30.—The annual fair of the Union Agricultural Association opened here today, with probably the finest exhibition ever presented. There were many entries in all departments and besides the prizes much time was spent in judging the exhibits.

LETTERS TO UNITED KINGDOM WILL NEED BUT TWO CENT STAMP

Beginning today, letters to England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, will need only a two-cent postage stamp instead of a five-cent one to ensure delivery at their destination. This remarkable reduction in rates has been agreed upon between the two governments as the best means of promoting commercial and friendly reasons between the United States and Great Britain.

At present the new rate of postage will apply only to the British Isles, but eventually it may be extended so as to include all of the British colonial possessions as well.

QUESTION RAISED OF BRIDGE PROPOSITION

Monongahela, Sept. 30.—What has become of our river bridge proposition? For some time, in fact since the bids for the erection of the structure were opened on the 10th inst., nothing has been heard from the commissioners of Allegheny and Washington counties, as to what the outcome will be. So far as can be learned ed the contract has not been officially awarded, although the Fort Pitt company submitted the lowest figures. The people of this city and the surrounding community, who are naturally interested, are wondering when some definite action will be taken in regard to the structure which must be built to take the place of the one now in use. Our Chamber of Commerce has been active in the past in stirring up the officials of the county in regard to improvements of this charcater, and while it would hesitate at the present time to take up any movement looking toward a great activity in the matter of the new bridge, yet if affairs do not move with greater speed in the near future, it may be necessary to get together and find out why the project is not being pushed.

Big Lot Sale.

Lock View Extension Plan of lots, Lock No. 4, Saturday October 3, beginning at 10:00 a. m. Lock View Extension is right in the midst of a great industrial center. All the mills, factories and mines of the surrounding district are easily accessible from this plan. Property bought at this sale is sure to double in value in a short time. Come out to this sale and get one of these fine lots. Prices $100 to $300. $25.00 secures any lot, easy payments for balance. Remember the date, Saturday Oct. 3, 10:00 a. m. Standard Real Estate Co., of Donora, Pa., Agts. 43t2p

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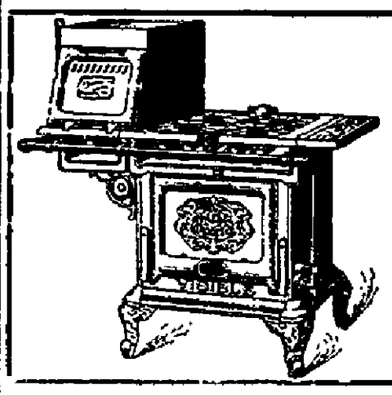

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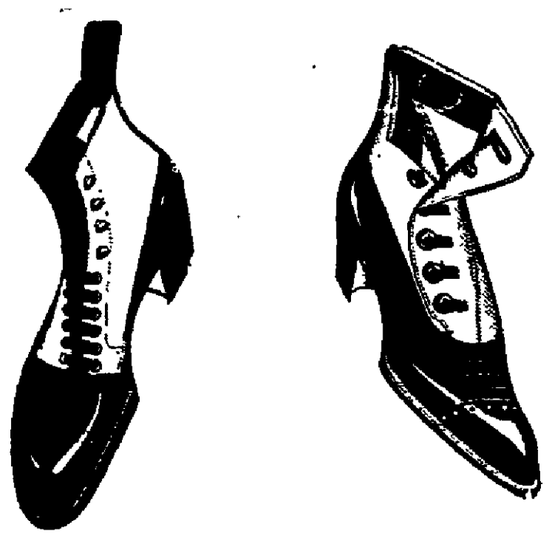

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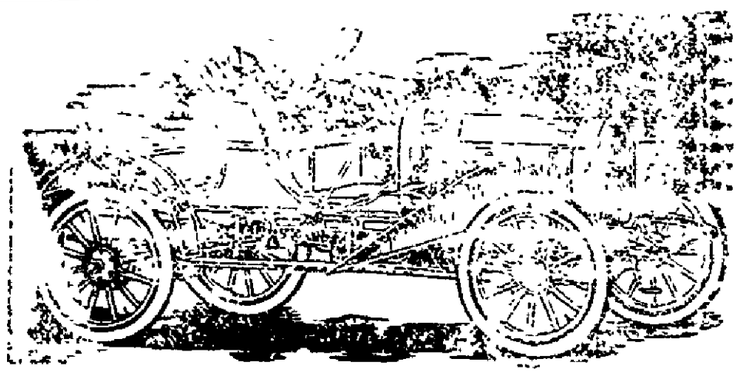

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How Queen Bess Dined.

The setting out of the dinner of Queen Elizabeth was a ceremonious function. First came a gentleman with a rod, followed by a gentleman carrying a tablecloth, which, after they had knelt reverently three times, was spread upon the table. Then came two others, one with a rod, the other with a saltcellar, a plate and bread. They knelt three times, placed the things on the table, knelt again and retired. Next came a lady in waiting, followed by a second. The first lady, dressed in white, after kneeling three times, approached the table and solemnly rubbed the plates with the salt. Then entered twenty-four yeomen of the guard clad in scarlet and each carrying a dish of gold. These dishes were placed upon the table, while the lady taster tasted to each of the guards a taste from the dish he had brought in for fear of possible poison. The guards were selected from the tallest and stoutest men in all England. At the close of this ceremony a number of unmarried ladies appeared and with great solemnity lifted the various dishes and carried them to the queen in her private apartments. The queen dined and supped alone with few attendants, and it was seldom that any one was admitted at this time, and then only at the intercession of some one in power.

Coal Used by Romans.

It is believed by some historians that coal was used by the Romans on the continent and by the Britons on the island before the arrival of Caesar. As early as 1234 Henry III. granted a license to dig coal near Newcastle, but a few years later the use of coal was forbidden in London, the smoke being deemed prejudicial to public health. In 1306 the London gentry petitioned the king against its use, declaring that in spite of his royal order certain malicious persons persisted in burning it. Coals began to be brought from Newcastle to London in 1281, during the reign of Richard II. By the year 1400 coal was commonly burned in London as a fuel, though 200 years later, in the reign of Charles I., its use was far from being general throughout England. Anthracite coal, which, except the diamond, is the purest form of carbon known, was first used by a Connecticut blacksmith named Gore in 1768 and as a domestic fuel by Judge Jesse Fell of Wilkesbarre, Pa., in 1808.

A Fairy Tale Kingdom.

The kingdom of Uganda is a fairy tale. You climb up a railway instead of a beanstalk, and at the end there is a wonderful new world. The scenery is different, the vegetation is different, the climate is different, and, most of all, the people are different from anything elsewhere to be seen in the whole range of Africa. Instead of the breezy uplands we enter a tropical garden. In place of naked painted savages clashing their spears and gibbering in chorus to their tribal chiefs a complete and elaborate polity is presented. Under a dynastic king, a parliament and a powerful feudal system an amiable, clothed, polite and intelligent race dwell together in an organized monarchy upon the rich domain between the Victoria and Albert lakes.—Winston Churchill, M. P., in Strand Magazine.

A Promise Unfulfilled.

O Henry, the well known story writer, once promised the editor of a magazine that he would deliver a short story to him on the following Monday. Several Mondays passed, but the muse was refractory, and the story was not forthcoming. At last the wrathful editor wrote this note:

My Dear O. Henry:—If I do not receive that story from you by 12 o'clock today I am going to put on my heaviest soled shoes, come down to your house and kick you downstairs. I always keep my promises.

Whereupon O. Henry sat down and wrote this characteristic reply:

Dear Sir—I, too, would keep my promises if I could fulfill them with my feet.

—Success Magazine.

A Defect.

A little girl was playing with a girl friend of her own age on the porch of her home. An elderly gentleman, her mother's father, and an elderly lady, her father's mother, were sitting on the porch talking pleasantly with each other. The little girl had often wished her grandparents were of the same name, like other children's grandparents. Presently the little guest remarked, "What a nice grandmother and grandfather you have!"

"Oh, yes," she said, with a sigh, "but they don't match."

An Explanation.

"How long has this restaurant been open?" asked the would be diner.

"Two years," said the proprietor.

"I am sorry I did not know it," said the guest. "I should be better off if I had come here then."

"Yes?" smiled the proprietor, very much pleased. "How is that?"

"I should probably have been served by this time if I had," said the guest, and the entente cordiale vanished.—Harper's Weekly.

Cause and Effect.

Old Hunks—When I came to this town sixteen years ago, real estate in the block where I live was higher than it is now.

Old Hewligus—It would be so in any block where you'd settle down.—Chicago Tribune.

Generous.

Mr. Smith (in street car)—Madam, take my seat. Mrs. Jones (who has been standing fifteen minutes)—No, thanks; I get off at the next corner. Smith—That's all right. So do I.

It is unpleasant to turn back, even though it be to take the right way.—German Proverb.

"OUR BOY"

"He's awfully hard on his clothes."

A complaint we hear every day. But the fact is there is something radically wrong with the internal machinery of a Boy that isn't hard on his clothes.

Now, just a moment! The clothing of Boys of all ages is our specialty, and we are positive that the Boy who comes to us for his outfit does not need new clothes nearly as often as the Boy who doesn't and, we believe he is better dressed.

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OLD TIME ZOOLOGY.

The Queer Insects Lawson Discovered In North Carolina.

In the Raleigh state library is an interesting old volume presented by President Madison in 1811. This quaint book is the first history of North Carolina, written in 1711 by "John Lawson, Gent," a surveyor general of the lords proprietors. The history is well worth reading, but perhaps the most entertaining portion of its many pages is that in which Mr. Lawson describes the flora and fauna of the new country. He is evidently the ancestor of the railway conductor who decided that, according to the rules of the road, "dogs is dogs and cats is dogs, but turtles is fish."

"We will next treat of Beasts," says the historian, "The chief are the Buffelo, or Wild Beef; the Tyger; the Bever; and the Bearmouse. The Buffelo is a Wild Beast of America which has a Bunch on his Back. These monsters are found to weigh and I am informed by a Traveller of Credit from 1100 to 2100 weight.

"The Bat or Bearmouse is the same as in England. I have put this among the Beasts as partaking of both the Nature of the Bird and the Mouse. Now I shall proceed to the known Insects of the Land.

"Insects of North Carolina: Alligators, Rattlesnakes, Frogs, Vipers, Tortois, Terebin, Scorpions, Worms (etc.).

"The Alligator is the same as the Crocodile. After the Tail of the Alligator is removed from the Body it will move freely for several Days. I have named these among the Insects because they lay Eggs, and I did not know well where else to put them."

FERN LEAVES.

They Are Valuable For Preserving Articles of Food.

The fern plant, which grows almost everywhere, is an excellent preservative for packing articles of food, fruit, etc. People who have lived in England know that the English have used it successfully for many years. Valuable fruit, fresh butter, etc., are no longer seen in the English markets packed in grapevine leaves, but almost always in fresh fern leaves, which keep the articles excellently. This is one where grapevine leaves are to be had in abundance. Every one posted well in botany knows the high preservative power of fern leaves with reference to vegetable and animal substances.

On the Isle of Man fresh herrings are packed in ferns and arrive on the market in as fine a condition as when they were first caught. Potatoes packed in ferns keep many months longer than others packed only in straw. Experiments made with both straw and fern leaves in the same cellar showed surprising results in favor of ferns. While the potatoes packed in straw mostly showed signs of rotting in the spring, the potatoes were as fresh as if they had just been dug.

Fresh meat is also well preserved by fern leaves. It would seem as if the highly preservative qualities of fern leaves are due to their high percentage of salt. No bacteria, maggots, etc., approach ferns, as the strong odor keeps them away.—New York Times.

Postmaster Not to Be Hurried.

A nobleman's new land agent and steward, who went to live on the estates about fifteen miles from Granada, sent letters to the village postoffice every day for three weeks, but got no replies. Thinking this very strange he rode over to the village and interviewed the postmaster.

"Oh," exclaimed the postmaster "you are the new agent on the ducal estates! Well, your letters are all safe. The villagers rarely write letters, and as I have to ride on my donkey four miles to the railway station to catch the mail train you don't suppose for one moment, do you, that I am going to undertake this pilgrimage every day with your stupid letters? I have them all here in a broken jug, and when the jug gets full I shall take a ride to the station and post the whole lot at once."

A Poultry Hint.

Do not waste too much time trying to cure fowls afflicted with some disease that you do not understand. Better kill them at once unless they are valuable exhibition specimens. Keep your fowls clean and dry and there will not be much danger from disease.

Her Sunday Knitting.

"Years ago," said an Auburn woman eighty years young, "it was counted a sin among the good wives of the little Maine town where I was born to waste a single moment of time. I have heard my grandmother tell the story of one dame who much scandalized the church people on one never to be forgotten occasion. People who went early to church were surprised one Sabbath morning to see Aunt Betsy sitting away up in front, gray yarn stockings in her hands and her knitting needles clicking merrily away as she worked. The minister stopped in surprise as he passed her on his way to the pulpit, but the old lady was not one whit disturbed by his disapproving air. Smiling serenely, she said complacently: 'Thought I'd knit a stitch while the people are gathering. I never was one to waste a minute, elder.' And the good dame continued to click her needles, while the horrified minister hastened to his desk. Not till he began his sermon did Aunt Betsy lay aside her Sunday knitting work."—Kennebec Journal.

Carlyle Was a Terror.

The domestic infelicity of the Carlyles is common knowledge, but it is not inappropriate to give Mrs. Carlyle's view of her husband. "If he would only be satisfied!" she used to sometimes complain of Carlyle. "But I have had to learn that when he does not find fault he is pleased, and that has to content me."

On one occasion when Carlyle was away from home Mrs. Carlyle busied herself to get all in perfect order for her husband's arrival, and when all was complete—his dinner ready, his armchair in its usual position, his pipe and tobacco prepared, all looking as comfortable as possible—Mrs. C. sat down at last to rest and to expect him with a quiet mind. He arrived, and "after he had greeted me, what do you think he did? He walked to the window and shook it and asked, 'Where's the wedge of the window?' And until we had found that blessed wedge nothing would content him. He said the window would rattle and spoil all."

Hard and Soft.

"What," asked the teacher, "does anthracite mean?"

"That's a kind of coal," said little Willie.

"Yes. Anthracite coal is what we call hard coal. So 'anthracite' must mean 'hard.' Now, can you tell me what 'bituminous' means?"

"That's coal, too." Willie replied.

"But it isn't the same kind of coal that anthracite is, is it? Bituminous coal is what we commonly refer to as soft coal. Now, Willie, let us see if you can form a sentence containing the words anthracite and bituminous."

Willie thought the matter over for a minute and then said:

"Here's one: 'This morning before pa started downtown ma wanted $5 for groceries and things, and she tried to get it by saying bituminous words, but pa gave her an anthracite look, and when he disappeared around the corner she was weeping bituminously.'"

She Investigated.

What Elsie's sister wanted to know was where Elsie got that beautiful silver mounted walking stick. But Elsie didn't want Elsie's sister to know, so Elsie's sister got Elsie's father to ask Elsie.

"I found it," Elsie pontingly informed her father, "floating like a schooner on the waves one day when I was bathing."

But two days later Elsie's sister said to Elsie:

"Come—tell me! What is his name?"

"Name!" repeated Elsie blankly. "What do you mean?"

"I mean, dear," said Elsie's sister, "that last night I tried to make that stick of yours float in the bath, and—well, darling, it sank!" — Pearson's Weekly.

Couldn't Keep Track of Them.

Martin Littleton, the famous lawyer of New York, is one of a family of nineteen children, so they say, born to a heritage of poverty and plack. When he was a small lad down in Texas he fell into the creek one day, and Michael, the next younger brother, ran whimpering to Littleton, the elder: "Dad, dad! Martin is drowning!"

"Martin, Martin!" repeated the father of nineteen. Then he turned dubiously to his wife.

"Nora," he inquired anxiously, "have we a Martin?"

A Metaphor With a History.

To "know a hawk from a hernshaw" is a metaphor with a curious history. It is a comparison drawn from falconry. "Hernshaw" is a corruption of "heronshaw," or young heron, a bird which was a common prey of the falcons. To know a hawk from a hernshaw is therefore to be able to distinguish the falcon from its prey. A further colloquial corruption crept into the phrase—"to know a hawk from a handsaw," a form used by Hamlet in one place. Possibly the distinction between a hawk and a hernshaw was found not to be strong enough for the purposes of the proverb.—Manchester Guardian.

Agreed With the Lecturer.

During a lecture at one of the schools on the subject of "Ventilation and Architecture," the temperature of the room rose to a very high pitch.

"And now we will turn to Greece," said the lecturer.

"So we will," said one of the audience, wiping his brow, "unless you open some of the windows."—Pathfinder.

Out of It.

"Yes, he makes a big hit with her. He has a green automobile, and it matches her dress."

"Well, why don't you take her driving?"

"I ain't got no green horse."—St. Louis Republic.

Veterans Will Meet.

Uniontown will have the opportunity on Thursday to do honor to the old soldiers, several hundred of whom will meet there in the eighth annual reunion of the Fayette County Veterans Association. The arrangements are complete and a most successful gathering is looked for.

"NINETY THREE"

The Story of a Famous Name And How It Originated.

The foremost dematologist in France, Dr. Sabourand, of Paris, and Prof. Unna, Hamburg, Germany, discovered that a microbe caused baldness. To prove their theory, Dr. Sabourand infected a genuine pig with some of these microbes, and in a comparatively short time the animal was denuded of every hair that was on its body.

Some eminent histologists and chemists were employed by the United Drug Co., Boston, Mass., to find the means of destroying these microbes and a remedy that would create a new growth of hair where the hair roots had not been entirely destroyed.

After months of study, experimenting and research work, they discovered what they claimed would do what was demanded. To unquestionably prove their theory, 100 leading druggists, located in as many different cities, were requested to each furnish the name of a responsible person suffering from falling hair and baldness. Each of these 100 persons were furnished three bottles of the preparation with a request to give it a thorough trial and report results.

Five of these persons failed to report. Two declared they had been bald for years; that their hair follicles had long been closed and their scalps were smooth and glossy.

Ninety-three of the 100 sent in enthusiastic reports, stated that they were delighted with the hair restoring qualities of the preparation, and expressed sincere thanks for the wonderful benefits brought about by its use. In commemoration of this, the new preparation was named Rexall "93" Hair Tonic.

We sell this remedy with the distinct understanding that it is free of cost to the user in every case where it does not completely remove dandruff, stimulate the hair follicles, revitalize the hair roots, stop the hair from falling out, grow new hair and make the scalp free from irritation.

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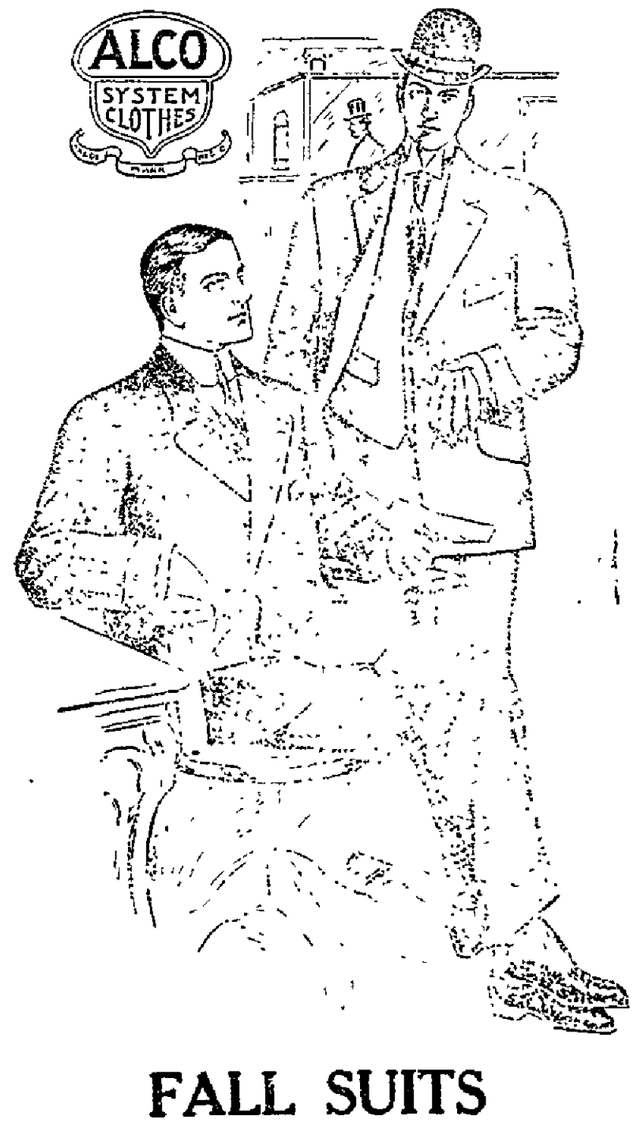

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You can't be better or more stylishly dressed than when wearing garments from the "ALCO" workshops.

There's a hundred per cent of style, quality, satisfaction and appearance for every dollar you invest in "ALCO" clothes.

The fall styles are gracefully effective in cut, and the patterns are distinctly striking and attractive.

Prices, $10.00 to 25.00 Whats your price?

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In these days it ought not to be necessary to try to convince any man engaged in the business of selling goods to the necessity of advertising. He may look over the entire list of successful business men of the country and he will find that advertising has been the keynote of their success. On the other hand, if a list of failures could be compiled, together with their primary cause it would be found that a lack of intelligent advertising lay at the bottom of them. A writer in the New York Journal who has made newspapers and advertising the study of his life, and whose authority is undisputed has the following to say on this subject:

"It may be said positively that the daily newspaper is the one most important engine in the hands of the intelligent advertiser. A good saying to bear in mind is this: 'Repetition is reputation.'

"Only the daily newspaper can give you the constant repetition that wears away forgetfulness and draws attention. To say a thing every day is, of course, the quickest, surest path to permanent remembrance.

"The intelligent advertiser will, under no circumstances, neglect the importance of the local paper, daily or weekly. Every man who sells goods, every man knows how important the personal equation is. If you wanted to sell a man a coat, and you could get that man's intimate friend to go and talk to him about your coat, your sale would be almost assured."

Kodol will, in a very short time, enable the stomach to do the work it should do, and the work it should do is to digest all the food you eat. It makes the stomach sweet and it is pleasant to take. It is sold here by Piper Bros. eod

APPLE BLOSSOMS ARE IN BLOOM

Apple blossoms are in bloom on the James Kearney place, near Monongahela, out the pike. Yesterday morning Mr. Fred Eckles of Monongahela plucked a handful of the blossoms, as well as some apples, which have ripened on trees. Such a condition is unusual, but is due to the extraordinary weather we have experienced during the past month. The blooms are well developed, but are lacking in fragrance of those of springtime.

Stopping the Drug Habit.

If the Wholesale Druggists' association is able to carry out its announced determination to stop by all means in its power the growth of the "drug habit" in this country, much good will result. Of course, it meant that the improper use of opium, chloral, cocaine and the like is to be put under the ban. If manufacturers and jobbers set their faces against the evil that is growing so rapidly in this country a reform will result. It can be anything like adequate, however, only when wholesalers, and retailers unanimously work in common.

The use of insidious drugs is growing rapidly, is said to be undermining the negroes of the south, while we know that in this city, for instance, it is increasing in spite of all the efforts of the authorities at repression.

When China is putting forth all its energies to suppress opium, even adopting drastic methods which we would hardly think of exercising, we ought at least to do our best to prevent people from becoming victims.

For it seems certain that when the use of any of the drugs is fastened on a man there is no power in himself to save him. It must be done by others. —Philadelphia Inquirer.

Save Your Gallons.

A gallon saved is $4 or $5 earned.

Two gallons saved is $8 or $10 earned.

Three gallons saved is $12 or $15 earned.

Four gallons saved is $16 or $20 earned.

Five gallons saved is $20 or $25 earned.

It costs $3 or $4 a gallon to paint, besides the paint; as much to brush-on a gallon of worthless paint as Devoe.

Mr. Ezra Rathmell, Williamsport, Pa, always used 11 gallons of mixed paint for his home; Devoe took 6.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweet contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Sold by Piper Bros. eo

Personal Mention

Mrs. E. F. Krahmer has returned home from a visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

Walter Reeves and Thomas Barger left this morning for Carmichaels, Greene county on a hunting trip.

Mrs. H. C. Yon left this morning for Wilkinsburg for a visit with relatives

Harvey Osborne has resigned as special night policeman. He was employed by the merchants.

Mrs. Fred Miller, of Wheeling is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Kimmins, of Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert [illegible] and daughter Athalia [illegible] centennial week at Pittsburg with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Coyle after a six week's visit with friends in this section left this morning for their home near Dana, Ill.

Miss Mabel Monaghan has left for New York City to take up her duties as teacher in a private school there.

Mrs. Mary J. Hobbs of Fairview, W. Va., who has been the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. A. Wise has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Galbraith, and Mr and Mrs. Alexander Galbraith and family left today for Southern Pines, N. Carolina, where they will spend the winter.

John K. Tener was in Greensburg yesterday to umpire the baseball game between the Greensburg Elks and the Boston American league team. The former won 2 to 0.

Tax came in unexpectedly fast yesterday, according to a report of Tax Collector Parsons this morning. The collections are being continued today.

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FOR RENT—My residence and grounds at Allenwood, Lock No. 4, apply T. J. Allen. 3Stf

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THE D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION

a specific formula, put up in sealed bottles with authentic label, has proven to be the only certain cure for these diseases. Its record of cures is astonishing, amazing, almost miraculous. It is a liquid, used externally non-greasy.

Cleansed within one month.

For a number of years my husband has been suffering with a terrible case of eczema. He had doctored with the best skin specialists in the city, but they could not even stop the itching. I was told by a friend of the D D D treatment and began using it at once; the first few applications eased the itching, and in a month's time his flesh was as clear as could be.

Yours truly,
MRS. S. J. HEATH.
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PETITION SCHOOL BOARD TO ESTABLISH NIGHT SCHOOL

Number Of Young People Who Work During Day Desire Educations.

DIRECTORS MEET TONIGHT

Will Take Up Matter And Probably Grant The Request.

A petition containing over one hundred names will be presented to the Charleroi School Board tonight, to have a night school established here for the benefit of those who have not had the advantages of an education, but who have to work to support themselves, and who feel the need of more learning to enable them to cope with their fellows in the daily battle of life.

The petition follows:

To the School Directors of the Borough of Charleroi.

Gentlemen—We the undersigned subscribers of the borough of Charleroi petition your honorable body to provide a night school for us. We are unable to attend the Public school on account of having to labor during the day, and will kindly appreciate anything you may be able to do for us in the way of education.

The signers of the petition are young men and a few young ladies of town of various ages, foreigners and Americans. The paper was circulated by Louis Tacceli, a barber of McKean avenue.

It is thought the School Board will establish the desired night school, as they are thought to be heartily in favor of it

OPENING AT BERRYMANS IS WELL ATTENDED

The annual fall opening of J. W. Berryman and son, Wednesday afternoon and evening was a grand success, everything combining to make it an auspicious one. All afternoon and evening a steady stream of admiring ladies poured through the three large rooms inspecting the beautiful new designs so artistically displayed. The manager, Mr. Langdon and his able assistants had arranged the interior of the store to the best advantage, and everyone who visited the place was highly pleased. Not a single unpleasant incident occurred to mar the success of the opening.

On the first floor were displayed the various merchandise pertaining to a modern dry good's store. The department which attracted the most attention was of course the millinery. Miss Maud Spidell, the head of the department, well known as an artist in her profession had surely surpassed all previous efforts in the extremely lovely hats created under her supervision. Her efforts were appreciated, as was evidenced by the many hats which were sold during the day. The ladies suit and fur section under the able management of Misses Della Ward and Etta Gault was also a great attraction. The new costumes shown so plentifully were really very handsome. The appearance of

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Last Three Dances Of Season At Park

The last three dances of the season at Eldora park will be this evening, Friday evening and Saturday evening. As this is [illegible] dancing it is presumed many will attend.

HIGH SCHOOL IN CROWDED CONDITION

The Charleroi High school is in a rather crowded condition. While two rooms are occupied, there is an uncomfortableness existing from the numbers. This year's freshman class is larger than any before in the history having forty members. The instructors, Profs. Hudson and Smith are kept very busy with the work, having the large number in hands.

Old Maid's Convention.

The Old Maids Convention will be held Friday evening, October 9 in the Charleroi School hall. Admission, 25 cents. Children 10 cents.

Escaping Gas Ignited And Damage Done

At noon yesterday a fire occurred at the home of Mrs. Ferree Sanders in Anton street, Monongahela. It was caused by the igniting of gas which had leaked from a jet in the basement kitchen. Mrs. Sanders had been washing and had been using the gas. For some reason she failed to turn off from the fire in the stove. Mrs. Sanders who was in the room at the time suffered slight burns and a large quantity of the hair of her head was burned off.

The blaze quickly spread and by the time the lady was able to give the alarm the entire room was a mass of flames. When the alarm was at last turned in for the volunteer department, the side of the kitchen was burning furiously. A bucket brigade was formed and by carrying water from a cistern on the property of Mrs. Mary Gee, did excellent and efficient work. When the firemen arrived the blaze was about extinguished and it was not necessary to turn on the stream. The damage will not exceed $100.

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BRAKEMAN SUSTAINS INJURIES

G. H. Bebout, a brakeman on a scale shifter of the Monongahela Division, P. R. R., stationed at West Brownsville yards had both legs severed from the body last night, when the brake stick of the car on which he was riding broke, precipitating him under the car. Eighteen cars passed over the man's legs before he was picked up.

When found the injured brakeman was still conscious. The crew of his train picked him up and took him to the Brownsville station, where medical attention was given by Dr. Lilley, of that place, who accompanied by two of the train crew, took him to Pittsburg, to the Allegheny General Hospital. One leg was severed at the hip and the other at the knee.

Bebout was 35 years of age and has a wife and two children living in Pittsburg. He is a veteran railroad man having been connected with the Pennsylvania system since he was a boy. For sometime he was a freight conductor, but when the depression in business came, he was forced to accep the position of brakeman. He was well known and immensely popular along the valley.

County May Be Facing Suit Over Bridge

The county is now threatened with a damage suit growing out of the destruction of the bridge over Raccoon creek in Smith township, near Cherry Valley, by fire on the night of August 12. Three parties claimed to have received injuries Friday night by a horse and buggy going over one of the abatements.

The bridge was an old one and beyond repair. The commissioners laid the proposition of a new bridge before the August term grand jury. County Engineer Wiley had prepared an estimate placing the costs of a new structure at about $1[illegible]. The grand jury turned down the petition for a new bridge. It is generally believed that the old structure was purposely fired. The township supervisors, it is said, have failed to put up a barricade at that point to warn the public.

The threatened suit involves a nice question of the liability of the township and the county for damages.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are for weak back, backache, rheumatic pains, inflammation of the bladder and all other annoyances due to weak kidneys They are sold by Piper Bros. end

INVENTION WILL PROVE VALUABLE

Two miners of Monongahela have received a patent for a device to be used in the sprinkling of mines, and which it is thought will be a big factor in the work of preventing mine [illegible] quent in this section in the past year. The invertion is to be used in the sprinkling of dust. The dust explosions, it is claimed has been the cause of nearly all of the mine disasters in the past, and it was with this end in view that the invention was devised.

The patent was received the first of this week, having been applied for on the 28th day of last January. The inventors, Peter Doney and Alexander P. Cochrane, value the invention at $60,000. One of the mines will be manufactured and tested. If it proves successful and there is little doubt that it will, the contract will be let for the making of more.

Winnett—Ranhke.

Elizabeth Ranhke and Benjamin C. Winnett, both of Speers, were married yesterday at the Baptist parsonage Monongahela. The bride and groom will make their home at Speers. Both the people are well known in Charleroi.

MONESSEN MAN INVESTIGATING ALLEGED THEFT OF POCKETBOOK

Robert Ruth, of Monessen, went to Pittsburg yesterday to identify a pocketbook found on the person of a pickpocket arrested by detectives. Mr. Ruth was in Pittsburg Monday and while alighting from a street car was jostled heavily but thought nothing of the ocurrence until later when he found his pocketbook was missing. It contained $25. Mr. Ruth made no report of the matter to the police. Tuesday a pickpocket was nabbed by detectives and a pocketbook found on his person was found to contain $25 and a furniture lease bearing the name of C. S. Pore and Robert Ruth of Monessen. The latter was immediately wired to come and appear against the man.

Two Hurt in Explosion.

A keg of powder exploded at Lock No. 3, Monongahela river, near Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon, and burned Joe Gondas that he will probably die at the McKeesport hospital. John Nosh, who was burned about the face and hands, is at his home in a critical condition. A shanty was torn to pieces.

ALL ROAD WORK WELL IN HAND

County Engineer William Wiley reports that all road work under direction of the county is well in hand. The improvement at Burgettstown, N. C. Hunter, contractor, has been completed and accepted. The Hallam Construction company is making good progress on their contract from Locust avenue, Washington, to McClane's. They have also made a good start on the Westland pike. The W. H. Howley Construction company is making fair progress on the West Middletown and Finleyville roads and work has been nicely started on the Dry Run road.

Hundreds of This Place in Pittsburg

Hundreds of Charleroi people are in Pittsburg today to see the big parade. All the morning trains had special coaches, while nearly all the morning trolley cars were crowded. Many also went in the afternoon.

Echo Of Fight At Tenth Street

George Kerdwech, Mike Gaydoskey, Joe Polisk and Joe Kiso have been arrested by the police and will be given hearings tonight before the burgess on a charge of disorderly conduct. They are said to have been among those in the fight at Tenth street Saturday night.

New Attractions at the Star.

Fred R. Edmunds as Maruitch's Husband, his impersonation of the Italian character is said to be one clever, and the burlesque of the Merry Widow Waltz has made a decided hit wherever he has shown.

Ansel and Donan, known as The Novelty Hand Balancers Supreme, are said to have a new and entertaining act. These big acts will be followed by illustrated songs and moving pictures, and the admission to the show is only 10c.

Meeting Tonight.

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Merchants' Association will be held at the Association Rooms, Kirk and Clark Bldg., this evening, at 8:30 o'clock.

Justice Queer In Pennsylvania

Washington, Oct. 1.—Justice is a queer bird in Pennsylvania, remarked a Washington citizen today. A resident of Houston was recenlty fined $100 for catching 10 bass in Chartiers creek to place in his aquarium. A few days later a pipe line belonging to the South West Pipe Lines, a branch of the Standard Oil company, which crosses Ten Mile creek, broke and the oil killed thousands of fish. One person counted 210 fine bass in one pool dead from an over dose of oil. If the oil company could have been fined for its carelessness at the rate of $10 per fish, the state could have built several miles of good road.

INTERLOCUTORY ADJUDICATION IS HANDED DOWN BY THE COURT

An interlocutory adjudication has been handed down by the court in the partition proceedings of F. B. Richards against Van L. Speers of Speers and others. There was no question involved regarding the right of the plaintiff for a partition, but there was involved an interpretation of a bequest as to how much the plaintiff was entitled to. The question of law arose out of the language used in the will of Naomi Bell Richards, the deceased wife of the plaintiff, which is as follows: "Being of sound mind, though in feeble health, I, Naomi Bell Richards, will and b equeath all my right, title and interest in the estate of my father, Noah Speers, deceased, situate in the state of Pennsylvania to be equally divided between my husband, Frank Bell Richards, and our children, Campbell A., Harry U., Kate E., John E., Jane A., Fred A., Frank Bell and George O., my personal property being already disposed of." The question was, did she give her husband one-half interest in the property and the other half to the children, or did it give him one-ninth and each of the children a ninth. The court decided each is entitled to one-ninth.

Curfew to Ring One Hour Sooner

Tonight, the police announce, curfew will ring at 8 o'clock instead of 9, as during the summer months.

THIEVES OPERATE AT BURGETTSTOWN

Burgettstown Sept. 30.—On a charge of stealing meat from the various tents on the fair grounds last night James Rogers, colored, was arrested this morning by Officer Rittson and Davidson. He was placed in the lockup and will be given a hearing before Justice Linn.

It is believed that an organized gang was at work on the grounds as several thefts were reported from the various tents. An effort was being made this evening to locate the balance of the gang.

You cannot enjoy a good meal if you have indigeston. Mi-o-na stomach tablets are guaranteed by Piper Bros. to cure the worst case of stomach trouble.

Unique Invitations For Press Meeting

Unique invitations have been sent out by the Monongahela Valley Press Association, for their next meeting to be held Saturday of this week at Donora, the guests of the Daily News and the American. The invitations were sent out by Roman E. Koehler, of the latter journal, who is a justice of the peace of Donora. They are in the form of a summons, reading that the person to whom they are sent shall be present on "Saturday the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1908, between the hours of 8 o'clock p. m. and 9 o'clock, p. m. of the said day to answer the Monongahela Press Association, charge of being a Newspaper Man."

RIVER TOWNS ARE WELL REPRESENTED

Pittsburg, Oct. 1.—The upper Monongahela river towns were well represented in the river demonstration yesterday. The packet Columbia, Capt. Lloyd, arrived yesterday morning with an excursion party numbering 125 from Fairmont, the head of navigation in the Monongahela river. Another large excursion came in on the packet J. C Woodward from Morgantown, Greensboro and Rices Landing, in time to participate in the marine parade. The J. C. Woodward left last evening for the through trip to Fairmont. There will be a packet departing today for Monongahela river points. The steamer Columbia will clear this afternoon for Fairmont with the remainder of the excursion party who remained over for the street parade and exposition.

Supreme Officers Here.

Something good is in store for the members of Court 41, Tribe of Ben Hur at the Regular meeting tonight. Two Supreme officers will be present and will conduct an initiation of a large class. Social session afterwards, lunch included. 43t1p

Sorosis shoes, all styles at Petersons, Monongahela City. 43t6

HUNTERS GETTING GUNS READY FOR KILLING OF GAME

Local nimrods have been purchasing guns and ammunition in preparation for the fall shooting, as the season for most of the game found in this vicinity opened today.

Pheasants, prairie chicken, grouse and woodcock are now in season and may be shot until November 30. They are reported to be quite plentiful this year, in fact, more so than they have been in many years, since stringent game laws have been invoked for their protection.

Squirrel also are to be found in great numbers this season, as the nut-crop in this locality is good. Gray squirrels have become quite scarce, but the red variety is still to be found in an abundance. The open season begins today and continues until November 30.

Wild turkey will be in season October 15 to November 30. Indications are that quantities of them will be found in Fulton and Bedford counties, and owing to the good grain and berry crop the quality will be unusually good.

Bears, which will be in season from today to February 28, are still quite numerous in the northern part of the State, although the recent forest fires have undoubtedly killed great numbers of them, as is the case with all game.

Rabbits will be as plentiful as they usually are and may be shot from October 15 to November 30. No shortage is reported in snipe, plover or ducks, which are now in season.

Woodsmen say partridges have never been more numerous than this season. The open season is from November 1 to 30.

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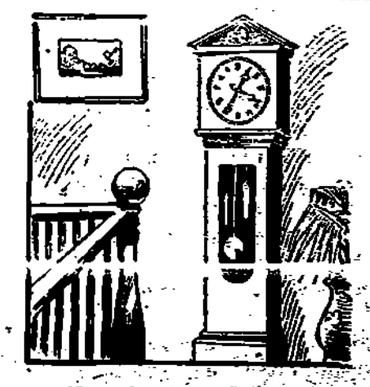

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Oct. 1 In History.

1781—James Fenimore Cooper born, died in 1851, on his vessel, the Susquehanna.

1898—First joint conference of the American and Spanish peace commissioners at Paris.

1904—Sir William Vernon Harcourt successor to Gladstone as Liberal leader in the House of Commons died in 1904.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS

Sun sets 5:50 p. m.; moon sets 9:23 p. m.; moon's age 7 days past. Mercury visible low in the west after sunset. Constellations visible, 8:30 p. m. in October Overhead Cygnus Pegasus, Delphinus north. East Auriga Ursa Major Cepheus, northeast Auriga Pisces Cassiopeia east. Perseus Cassiopeia east, Taurus Aries, Pisces, southeast, Cetus, Sculptor, south. Aquarius, Capricornus, Piscis Australis west. Aquila, Hercules, Ophiuchus, northwest Lyra Corona Borealis Draco Bright stars visible same hour Overhead Bench; northeast Capella east Aldebaran, west, Altair northwest, Vega Planets in October Mercury visible in west after sunset first 11 days. Venus rises between 2 and 3 a. m.; Mars rises about 4:20 a. m., Jupiter rises from 2 to 1:30 a. m. Saturn rises at about sunset. Uranus and Neptune always invisible at opposite quarter. Sun's declination Oct. 1st 3 degrees 58 minutes south. Sun's declination 20th, then Libra. Orionid meteors radiating from constellation Orion may be seen from the 14th to 24th

Night School.

The cause of the local people who are endeavoring to have a night school started here for the benefit of the laboring class is a worthy one, and one that will gain the attention of the directors of the Charleroi Public schools at their meeting tonight. A way should be provided for the hundred or more persons in this town, Americans and foreigners, who have had little chance to secure even the rudiments of an education, to become better versed so that they are able to carry on their work more advantageously and have far more strength with which to engage daily in the struggle to gain and retain a position in this world, of trust and honor.

The Charleroi School Board will surely provide some way so that the desires of the hundred or more persons who signed the petition to that body, will be granted.

Cigaret Must Go.

Judges of the supreme court of the state of Washington have decided the cigaret must go, having agreed that the anti-cigaret law, enacted by the legislature of 1907, is constitutional. This reverses a ruling by Judge E. H. Sullivan of the Spokane county superior court, who declared it unconstitutional, even the fact that the title of of the law is in conflict with its provisions. the decision by the upper court means it is unlawful to manufacture, sell or give away paper rolls or "The makings" in any other part of the commonwealth.

Great Foe.

The great foe to home, peace and happiness is worry. The habit of worry keeps us crossing bridges before we reach them. The evils that fret us most are those which threatens us but have not yet arrived. Stop worrying about the bread that you are afraid will not rise, the new dress you are sure the dressmaker will spoil, and the next month's rent. If you will firmly resolve to worry only about the evil of special hardship this hour or minute and can't be avoided ninety-nine cases out of one hundred you will find there is not much evil or hardship

Electric Sparks.

Irwin's chief executive has been roughly jostled. Primitive justice does not hesitate to maul the majesty of the law when occasion seems to require.

Who a jury should again be sworn to determine the question of Harry Thaw's sanity or insanity when it is only a few months since he was acquitted on the charge of murder, because a jury believed him insane, is a puzzle to the layman.

A Connellsville lawyer found to his surprise $1300 in bills that had been hidden in a bag of oats which indicates that for its owner the thirteen was not so unlucky.

He is a brave man who carries a gun on his shoulder in time of war, he is a coward who carries one in his pocket in time of peace, declares the Epitomist.

"A clever woman can sometimes make a fool of a man, but it takes a fluffy little thing with a baby face and no brains or morals to speak of to make him make a fool of himself."

"Did Mr. Haskell organize all the trusts?"—Boston Globe No, but his standing around Democratic national headquarters didn't seem impaired by the fact that he had visible connections with the biggest of them.

A "modern" house is advertised with "seven sleeping rooms, seven bathrooms and ten rooms for servants." Modern enough, surely.

Rains have saved the Adirondack forests and put out the forest fires in Maine, Pennsylvania and Canada. When Jupiter Pluvius gets down to work he stands at the head of fire extinguishers

The crippled in mind or body are entitled to the sincere sympathy and the generous support of their more fortunate neighbors. Why not the crippled in spirit?

The following bit of wisdom from the Connellsville Courier is worthy of repetition.

"The Charleroi foreigner who was driven to suicide on account of $3 worth of law set an example at once bad and good. His rash and fatal act was bad in every sense. It was bad taste and bad judgment But his dislike for the law was one which might be cultivated by many good citizens with profit to themselves and the community.

Opening At Berrymans Well Attended

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the ladies neckware, the silks and dress goods, ladies embroidery, waists and infant goods departments under the different management of Misses Estenfelder, Stroud, Phalan, Velletay, Phillips, Richards and Osborne, were highly complimentary to the skill, of these ladies.

The opening Wednesday inaugurated a ten day sale. If the crowd yesterday can be taken as an indication, Messrs. J. W. Berryman and Son will meet with every success during the fall and winter seasons.

Contract For New Station.

The contract for the new passenger station for the Panhandle railroad at Canonsburg, is in the hands of Vetsor, Stewart and Rossel, of Washington, Pa. It will cost about $50,000. The old building has been moved to another site and will be used for a freight station. This is one of several new passenger stations for which plans were prepared last year. Work on most of the new structures has been postponed.

Read The Mail.

Briefs of the County

Crossereek, Sept. 30.—Officers of this section are searching the surrounding country for Finis Myers an old soldier who is charged with taking $51.75 from the home of Washington Snodgrass of this place.

Paris, Sept. 30.—The shooting of Howard Howe, of Colliers, on the Robert and Henry Caldwell farm near this village last week is still shrouded in mystery. The name of the person who fired two shots has not been learned. Howe is still in a very critical condition in the Steubenville hospital but the attending physicians hold out a ray of hope.

Canonsburg, Sept. 30.—John J. Delaney, a mine foreman at the Pittsburg-Buffalo company's Hazel mine had his foot crushed yesterday afternoon, while riding on the front of an electric motor in the mine.

Burgettstown, Sept. 30.—The annual fair of the Union Agricultural association opened here today, with [illegible] represented There were many entries in all departments and besides the races much time was spent in judging the exhibits

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QUESTION RAISED OF BRIDGE PROPOSITION

Monongahela, Sept. 30.—What has become of our river bridge proposition? For some time, in fact since the bids for the erection of the structure were opened on the 10th inst., nothing has been heard from the commissioners of Allegheny and Washington counties, as to what the outcome will be So far as can be learned ed the contract has not been officially awarded, although the Fort Pitt company submitted the lowest figures The people of this city and the surrounding community, who are naturally interested, are wondering when some definite action will be taken in regard to the structure which must be built to take the place of the one now in use. Our Chamber of Commerce has been active in the past in stirring up the officials of the county in regard to improvements of this charcater, and while it would hesitate at the present time to take up any movement looking toward a great activity in the matter of the new bridge, yet if affairs do not move with greater speed in the near future, it may be necessary to get together and find out why the project is not being pushed.

Big Lot Sale.

Lock View Extension Plan of lots, Lock No. 4, Saturday October 3, beginning at 10.00 a. m. Lock View Extension is right in the midst of a great industrial center. All the mills, factories and mines of the surrounding district are easily accessible from this plan. Property bought at this sale is sure to double in value in a short time. Come out to this sale and get one of these fine lots. Prices $100 to $300. $25.00 secures any lot, easy payments for balance. Remember the date, Saturday Oct 3, 10 00 a. m. Standard Real Estate Co, of Donora, Pa., Agts 43t2p

Social.

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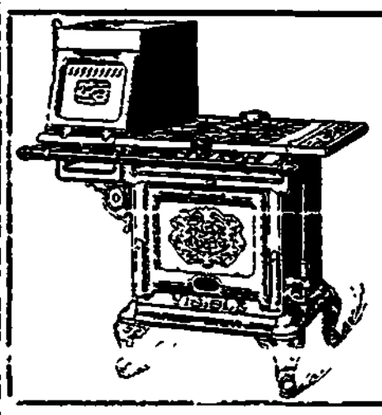

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We have the sole agency for the world's best makes of pianos, and would be pleased to send you list showing styles, prices, etc.
W. F. Frederick Music Co.,
J. J. KING, Retail Manager, Fallowfield Ave.

WINTER WILL SOON BE HERE!
HAVE YOU A FURNACE? If not come in and talk it over with us. Your credit is good If you have one, perhaps it needs some repairs before starting up. Better notify us at once to look after it. Both 'phones.
D. N. HALL 412 Fallowfield Avenue

FRESH GREEN GOODS
are a specialty with us. We receive them daily and are always able to supply our customers with every seasonable dainty that the market affords.
Telephone or bring your orders and we will be pleased to deliver same promptly to you.
J. E. MASTERS & CO.
Fourth st and Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

Advertise in the Mail

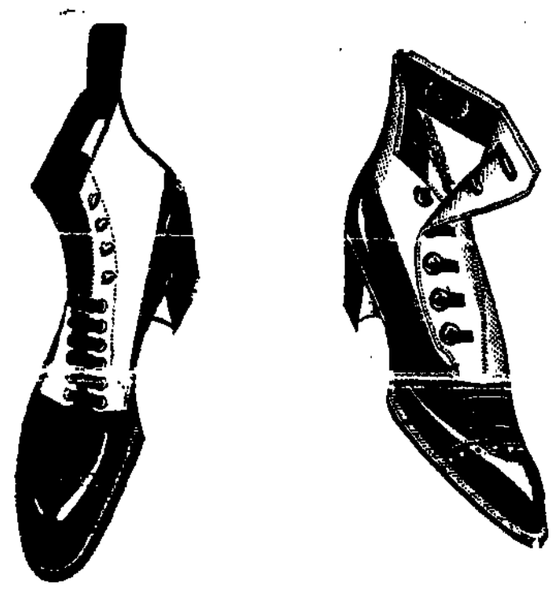
Is Your Money Busy?
Is your money at work for you earning a liberal rate of interest, or is it idle?
Do not let your cash remain about the house or office at the risk of fire and burglars and where it is not earning more, but bring it to the Charleroi Savings & Trust Company
Open an account now where it will yield you a good return.
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES TO RENT, $5.00 AND UP PER YEAR
Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.
CHARLEROI, PENNSYLVANIA.
Capital and Undivided Profits $143,000.00
4 Per Cent. Interest Paid on Time Certificates of Deposit. 4 Per Cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts. Compounded Twice a Year.

STAR THEATRE
HIGH CLASS ATTRACTIONS
George Holden
The Man with the Nimble Fingers
The Dancing Shaws
Miss Marion Laughlin
In Illustrated Songs
ADMISSION 10c MOVING PICTURES
Change of Bill Monday and Thursday.

SAMPLE

Shoes for Men and Women

New Fall models ready. As usual Sample Shoes are first on the market in the correct custom styles for this season. They are exactly the same styles as high price, custom shoe makers are now turning out for the best dressed men& women in this country; styles for all requirements in all fashionable eathers Your precise fit is absolutely assured.



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Golden Crescent Flour

At Your Grocers. Every Sack Guaranteed.

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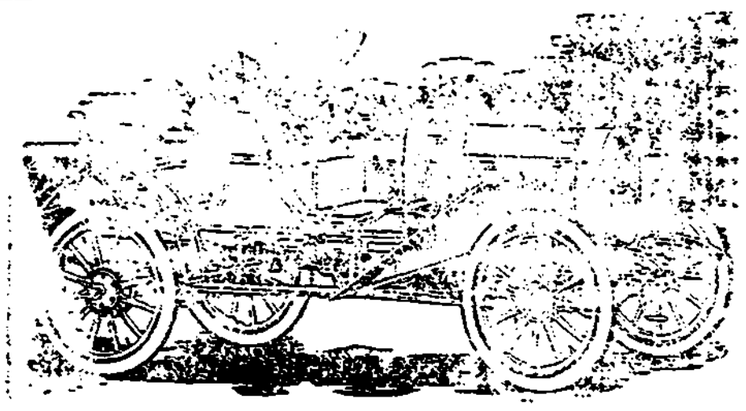

BUICK AUTOMOBILES

It pays to buy a BUICK, because it insures reliability, durability, simplicity ease of operation.

You can't afford to buy an automobile until you have investigated the BUICK

MADE IN SIX MODELS

Model No. 10	$ [illegible]	Model D	$1,750
Model G	$1,150	Model S	$1,750
Model F	$1,250	Model No. 5	$2,500

A. D. SPENCER

McKean Ave. and Second St. Charleroi, Pa.

When you furnish your office and home you of course get the best.

A Charleroi Phone is the best and no office or home is complete without one

Business:	Private Line	$24 per year.
	4 Party selective	$18 per year.
Residence:	Private Line	$18 per year.
	4 Party selective	$12 per year.

Special half rate night toll service.

Desk Sets will be charged for at the rate of 25c per month extra. Extension bells at 15c per month extra.

Do you know that the home company is by far the best telephone service? Try it. Call up over any of our phones for the manager, or tell Central where our representative shall call.

WE HAVE THE MOST

... Complete Stock of Shot Guns ....

In the Monongahela Valley. Call and see our line of

[illegible] WINCHESTER REMINGTONS
STEVENS HAMILTON And a full line of SHELLS

Single Barrells.....$5,00 and Up
Double Barrells.....$12.00 and Up

D. R. DUVALL

518 Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

How Queen Bess Dined.

The setting out of the dinner of Queen Elizabeth was a ceremonious function. First came a gentleman with a rod, followed by a gentleman carrying a tablecloth, which, after they had knelt reverently three times, was spread upon the table. Then came two others, one with a rod, the other with a saltcellar, a plate and bread. They knelt three times, placed the things on the table, knelt again and retired. Next came a lady in waiting, followed by a second. The first lady, dressed in white, after kneeling three times, approached the table and solemnly rubbed the plates with the salt. Then entered twenty-four yeomen of the guard clad in scarlet and each carrying a dish of gold. These dishes were placed upon the table, while the lady taster gave to each of the guards a taste from the dish he had brought in for fear of possible poison. These guards were selected from the tallest and stoutest men in all England. At the close of this ceremony a number of unmarried ladies appeared and with great solemnity lifted the various dishes and carried them to the queen in her private apartments. The queen dined and supped alone, with few attendants, and it was seldom that any one was admitted at this time, and then only at the interc[illegible] in power.

Coal Used by Romans.

It is believed by some historians that coal was used by the Romans on the continent and by the Britons on the island before the arrival of Caesar. As early as 1234 Henry III. granted a license to dig coal near Newcastle, but a few years later the use of coal was forbidden in London, the smoke being deemed prejudicial to public health. In 1306 the London gentry petitioned the king against its use, declaring that in spite of his royal order certain malicious persons persisted in burning it. Coals began to be brought from Newcastle to London in 1421, during the reign of Richard II. By the year 1400 coal was commonly burned in London as a fuel, though 200 years later, in the reign of Charles I., its use was far from being general throughout England. Anthracite coal, which, except the diamond, is the purest form of carbon known, was first used by a Connecticut blacksmith named Gore in 1768 and as a domestic fuel by Judge Jesse Fell of Wilkesbarre, Pa., in 1808.

A Fairy Tale Kingdom.

The kingdom of Uganda is a fairy tale. You climb up a railway instead of a beanstalk, and at the end there is a wonderful new world. The scenery is different, the vegetation is different, the climate is different, and, most of all, the people are different from anything elsewhere to be seen in the whole range of Africa. Instead of the breezy uplands we enter a tropical garden. In place of naked painted savages clashing their spears and gibbering in chorus to their tribal chiefs a complete and elaborate polity is presented. Under a dynastic king, a parliament and a powerful feudal system an amiable, clothed, polite and intelligent race dwell together in an organized monarchy upon the rich domain between the Victoria and Albert lakes.—Winston Churchill, M. P., in Strand Magazine.

A Promise Unfulfilled.

O. Henry, the well known story writer, once promised the editor of a magazine that he would deliver a short story to him on the following Monday. Several Mondays passed, but the muse was refractory and the story was not forthcoming. At last the wrathful editor wrote this note:

Mr. Henry: If I do not receive that story from you by 10 o'clock today I am going to put on my heaviest soled shoes, come down to your house and kick you downstairs. I always keep my promises.

Whereupon O. Henry sat down and wrote this characteristic reply:

Dear Sir—I, too, would keep my promises if I could fulfill them with my feet.

—Success Magazine.

A Defect.

A little girl was playing with a girl friend of her own age on the porch of her home. An elderly gentleman, her mother's father, and an elderly lady, her father's mother, were sitting on the porch talking pleasantly with each other. The little girl had often wished her grandparents were of the same name, like other children's grandparents. Presently the little guest remarked, "What a nice grandmother and grandfather you have!"

"Oh, yes," she said, with a sigh, "but they don't match."

An Explanation.

"How long has this restaurant been open?" asked the would be diner.

"Two years," said the proprietor.

"I am sorry I did not know it," said the guest. "I should be better off if I had come here then."

"Yes?" smiled the proprietor, very much pleased. "How is that?"

"I should probably have been served by this time if I had," said the guest, and the entente cordiale vanished.—Harper's Weekly.

Cause and Effect.

Old Hunks—When I came to this town sixteen years ago, real estate in the block where I live was higher than it is now.

Old Hewligus—It would be so in any block where you'd settle down.—Chicago Tribune.

Generous.

Mr. Smith (in street car)—Madam, take my seat. Mrs. Jones (who has been standing fifteen minutes)—No, thanks; I get off at the next corner. Smith—That's all right. So do I.

It is unpleasant to turn back, even though it be to take the right way.—German Proverb.

"OUR BOY"

"He's awfully hard on his clothes."

A complaint we hear every day. But the fact is there is something radically wrong with the internal machinery of a Boy that isn't hard on his clothes.

Now, just a moment! The clothing of Boys of all ages is our specialty, and we are positive that the Boy who comes to us for his outfit does not need new clothes nearly as often as the Boy who doesn't and, we believe he is better dressed.

We can demonstrate this assertion to your satisfaction.

We're the Store for Boys Clothing

We're showing for Boys of all ages the freshest conceits of Fall in Top Coats—Two Piece Suits—Norfolks—Russian and Sailor Blouse Suits, etc., etc.

Very moderate prices prevail, for we ask no fancy prices on account of the superiority of our clothes.

Come to see what's new. Buy at your pleasure.

TEITELBAUM'S

Clothes of Quality

417 McKean Ave. Charleroi

OLD TIME ZOOLOGY.

The Queer Insects Lawson Discovered In North Carolina.

In the Raleigh state library is an interesting old volume presented by President Madison in 1801. This quaint book is the first history of North Carolina, written in 1741 by "John Lawson, Gent," a surveyor general of the lords proprietors. The history is well worth reading, but perhaps the most entertaining portion of its many pages is that in which Mr. Lawson describes the flora and fauna of the new country. He is evidently the ancestor of the railway conductor who decided that, according to the rules of the road, "Dogs is dogs, but cats is dogs, but turtles is fish."

"We will next treat of Beasts," says the historian. "The chief are the Buffelo or Wild Beef; the Tyger; the Bever; and the Bearmouse. The Buffelo is a Wild Beast of America which has a Bunch on his Back. These monsters are found to weigh as I am informed by a Traveller of Credit, from 1100 to 2000 weight.

"The Bat or Bearmouse is the same as in England . . . have yet this among the Beasts as remarkable of both the Nature of the Bird and the Mouse. How I shall . . . to the known Insects of the . . .

"Insects of North Carolina: Allegators, Rattlesnakes, Pilot Snakes, Horned Snakes, Terebin, Horned Worms etc.

"The Allegator is the same as the Crocodile. After the Tail of the Allegator is cut off from the Body it will move freely for several Days. I have named these among the Insects because they lay Eggs, and I did not know well where else to put them."

FERN LEAVES.

They Are Valuable For Preserving Articles of Food.

The fern plant, which grows almost everywhere, is an excellent preservative for packing articles of food, fruit, etc. People who have lived in England know that the English have used it successfully for many years. Valuable fruit, fresh butter, etc., are no longer seen in the English markets [illegible] always in fresh fern leaves, which keep the articles excellently. This is the reason grapevine leaves are to be had in abundance. Every one posted well in botany knows the high preservative power of fern leaves with reference to vegetable and animal substances.

On the Isle of Man fresh herrings are packed in ferns and arrive on the market in as fresh a condition as when they were caught. Potatoes packed in ferns keep many months longer than others packed only in straw. Experiments made with both straw and fern leaves in the same cellar showed surprising results in favor of ferns. While the potatoes packed in straw mostly showed signs of rotting in the spring, those in ferns were as fresh as if they had just been dug.

Fresh meat is also well preserved by fern leaves. It would seem as if the highly preservative qualities of fern leaves are due to their high percentage of salt. No larvae, maggots, etc., approach ferns, as the strong odor keeps them away.—New York Times.

Postmaster Not to Be Hurried.

A nobleman's new land agent and steward, who went to live on the estates about fifteen miles from Granada, sent letters to the village postoffice every day for three weeks, but got no replies. Thinking this very strange he rode over to the village and interviewed the postmaster.

"Oh," exclaimed the postmaster, "you are the new agent on the ducal estates! Well, your letters are all safe. The villagers rarely write letters, and as I have to ride on my donkey [illegible] miles to the railway station to catch the mail train you don't suppose for one moment, do you, that I am going to undertake this pilgrimage every day with your stupid letters? I have them all here in a broken jug, and when the jug gets full I shall take a ride to the station and post the whole lot at once."

A Poultry Hint.

Do not waste too much time trying to cure fowls afflicted with some disease that you do not understand. Better kill them at once unless they are valuable exhibition specimens. Keep your fowls clean and dry and there will not be much danger from disease.

Hard and Soft.

"What," asked the teacher, "does anthracite mean?"

"That's a kind of coal," said little Willie.

"Yes. Anthracite coal is what we call hard coal. So 'anthracite' must mean 'hard.' Now, can you tell me what 'bituminous' means?"

"That's coal, too," Willie replied.

"But it isn't the same kind of coal that anthracite is, is it? Bituminous coal is what we commonly refer to as soft coal. Now, Willie, let us see if you can form a sentence containing the words anthracite and bituminous."

Willie thought the matter over for a minute and then said:

"Here's one: 'This morning before pa started downtown ma wanted $5 for groceries and things, and she tried to get it by saying bituminous words, but pa gave her an anthracite look, and when he disappeared around the corner she was weeping bituminously.'"

She Investigated.

What Elsie's sister wanted to know was where Elsie got that beautiful silver mounted walking stick. But Elsie didn't want Elsie's sister to know, so Elsie's sister got Elsie's father to ask Elsie.

"I found it," Elsie pontingly informed her father, "floating like a schooner on the waves one day when I was bathing."

But two days later Elsie's sister said to Elsie:

"Come—tell me! What is his name?"

"Name!" repeated Elsie blankly. "What do you mean?"

"I mean, dear," said Elsie's sister, "that last night I tried to make that stick of yours float in the bath, and—well, darling, it sank!" — Pearson's Weekly.

Couldn't Keep Track of Them.

Martin Littleton, the famous lawyer of New York, is one of a family of nineteen children, so they say, born to a heritage of poverty and pluck. When he was a small lad down in Texas he fell into the creek one day, and Michael, the next younger brother, ran whimpering to Littleton, the elder: "Dad, dad! Martin is drowning!"

"Martin, Martin!" repeated the father of nineteen. Then he turned dubiously to his wife.

"Nora," he inquired anxiously, "have we a Martin?"

A Metaphor With a History.

To "know a hawk from a hernshaw" is a metaphor with a curious history. It is a comparison drawn from falconry. "Hernshaw" is a corruption of "heronshaw," or young heron, a bird which was a common prey of the falcons. To know a hawk from a hernshaw is therefore to be able to distinguish the falcon from its prey. A further colloquial corruption crept into the phrase—"to know a hawk from a handsaw," a form used by Hamlet in one place. Possibly the distinction between a hawk and a hernshaw was found not to be strong enough for the purposes of the proverb.—Manchester Guardian.

Agreed With the Lecturer.

During a lecture at one of the schools on the subject of "Ventilation and Architecture," the temperature of the room rose to a very high pitch.

"And now we will turn to Greece," said the lecturer.

"So we will," said one of the audience, wiping his brow, "unless you open some of the windows."—Pathfinder.

Out of It.

"Yes, he makes a big hit with her. He has a green automobile, and it matches her dress."

"Well, why don't you take her driving?"

"I ain't got no green horse."—St. Louis Republic.

Veterans Will Meet.

Uniontown will have the opportunity on Thursday to do honor to the old soliders, several hundred of whom will meet there in the eighth annual reunion of the Fayette County Veterans Association. The arrangements are complete and a most successful gathering is looked for.

"NINETY THREE"

The Story of a Famous Name And How It Originated.

The foremost dematologist in France, Dr. Sabourand, of Paris, and Prof. Unna, Hamburg, Germany, discovered that a microbe caused baldness. To prove their theory, Dr. Sabourand infected a genuine pig with some of these microbes, and in a comparatively short time the animal was denuded of every hair that was on its body.

Some eminent histolcgists and chemists were employed by the United Drug Co., Boston, Mass., to find the means of destroying these microbes and a remedy that would create a new growth of hair where the hair roots had not been entirely destroyed.

After months of study, experimenting and research work, they discovered what they claimed would do what was demanded. To unquestionably prove their theory, 100 leading druggists, located in as many different cities, were requested to each furnish the name of a responsible person suffering from falling hair and baldness. Each of these 100 persons were furnished three bottles of the preparation with a request to give it a thorough trial and report results.

Five of these persons failed to report. Two declared they had been bald for years; that their hair follicles had long been closed and their scalps were smooth and glossy.

Ninety-three of the 100 sent in enthusiastic reports, stated that they were delighted with the hair restoring qualities of the preparation, and expressed sincere thanks for the wonderful benefits brought about by its use. In commemoration of this, the new preparation was named Rexall "93" Hair Tonic.

We sell this remedy with the distinct understanding that it is free of cost to the user in every case where it [illegible] stimulate the hair follicles, revitalize the hair roots, stop the hair from falling out, grow new hair and make the scalp free from irritation.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic comes in two sizes; prices, 50c. and $1.00.

John W. Carroll, Charleroi, Pa.

THE

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OPENING OF

Autumn Millinery

—AND—

Ready-to-Wear Outer Garments

Continued Friday and Saturday.

An elaborate exposition of the seasons modes from the best art centers.

Special Ten-Day Sale Now On

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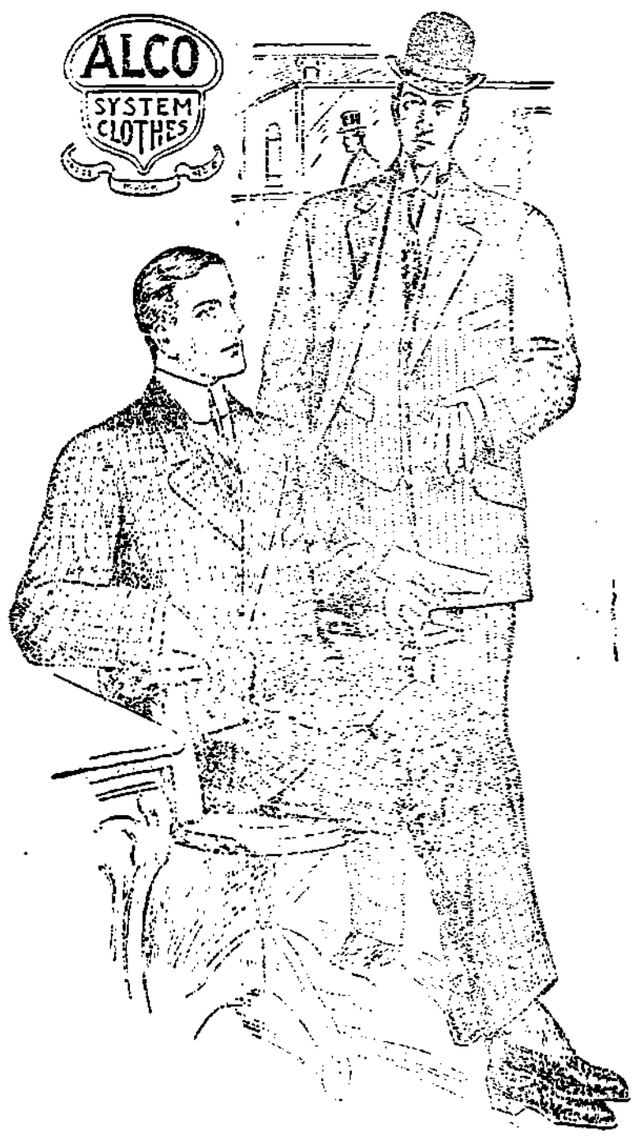

FALL SUITS

"ALCO SYSTEM CLOTHES" have a reputation among clothes-makers and dealers. We know all about them, and do not hesitate to call pointed attention to the handsome assortment of "ALCO" suits and overcoats for men and young men now assembled in our store.

You can't be better or more stylishly dressed than when wearing garments from the "ALCO" workshops.

There's a hundred per cent of style, quality, satisfaction and appearance for every dollar you invest in "ALCO" clothes.

The fall styles are gracefully effective in cut, and the patterns are distinctly striking and attractive.

Prices, $10.00 to 25.00 Whats your price?

Our fall line furnishings. Hats and Caps for men and boys is now complete. We invite your inspection.

Leslie Campbell Company

413 McKEAN AVENUE.

Fred R. Edwards, at the Star Theatre.

Best Way to Advertise.

In these days it ought not to be necessary to try to convince any man engaged in the business of selling goods to the necessity of advertising. He may look over the entire list of successful business men of the country and he will find that advertising has been the keynote of their success. On the other hand, if a list of failures could be compiled, together with their primary cause it would be found that a lack of intelligent advertising lay at the bottom of them. A writer in the New York Journal who has made newspapers and advertising the study of his life, and whose authority is undisputed has the following to say on this subject:

"It may be said positively that the daily newspaper is the one most important engine in the hands of the intelligent advertiser. A good saying to bear in mind is this: 'Repetition is reputation.'

"Only the daily newspaper can give you the constant repetition that wears away forgetfulness and draws attention. To say a thing every day is, of course, the quickest, surest path to permanent remembrance.

"The intelligent advertiser will, under no circumstances, neglect the importance of the local paper, daily or weekly. Every man who sells goods, every man knows how important the personal equation is. If you wanted to sell a man a coat, and you could get that man's intimate friend to go and talk to him about your coat, your sale would be almost assured."

Kodol will, in a very short time, enable the stomach to do the work it should do, and the work it should do is to digest all the food you eat. It makes the stomach sweet and it is pleasant to take. It is sold here by Piper Bros. eod

APPLE BLOSSOMS ARE IN BLOOM

Apple blossoms are in bloom on the James Kearney place, near Monongahela, out the pike. Yesterday morning Mr. Fred Eckles of Monongahela plucked a handful of the blossoms, as well as some apples, which have ripened on trees. Such a condition is unusual, but is due to the extraordinary weather we have experienced during the past month. The blooms are well developed, but are lacking in fragrance of those of springtime.

Stopping the Drug Habit.

If the Wholesale Druggists' association is able to carry out its announced determination to stop by all means in its power the growth of the "drug habit" in this country, much good will result. Of course, it meant that the improper use of opium, chloral, cocaine and the like is to be put under the ban. If manufacturers and jobbers set their faces against the evil that is growing so rapidly in this country a reform will result. It can be anything like adequate, however, only when wholesalers, and retailers unanimously work in common.

The use of insidious drugs is growing rapidly, is said to be undermining the negroes of the south, while we know that in this city, for instance, it is increasing in spite of all the efforts of the authorities at repression.

When China is putting forth all its energies to suppress opium, even adopting drastic methods which we would hardly think of exercising, we ought at least to do our best to prevent people from becoming victims.

For it seems certain that when the use of any of the drugs is fastened on a man there is no power in himself to save him. It must be done by others. —Philadelphia Inquirer.

Save Your Gallons.

A gallon saved is $4 or $5 earned.

Two gallons saved is $8 or $10 earned.

Three gallons saved is $12 or $15 earned.

Four gallons saved is $16 or $20 earned.

Five gallons saved is $20 or $25 earned.

It costs $3 or $4 a gallon to paint, besides the paint; as much to brush on a gallon of worthless paint as Devoe.

Mr. Ezra Kathmen, Williamsport, Pa, always used 11 gallons of mixed paint for his home; Devoe took 6.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweet contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Sold by Piper Bros. eo

Good Teas and Coffees at Money Saving Prices

60c Teas

Ceylon, Gunpowder, Oolong English Breakfast, Young Hyson, Basket Fired Japan,

35 lb.

80c Teas

Ceylon, Gunpowder, Oolong, English Breakfast, Young Hyson, Basket Fired Japan,

60c lb.

Try our GOLDEN SANTOS COFFEE, the kind that makes you feel good.

25c lb. 5 1-2 lbs. for $1.00

Perfection Blend, makes a fine cup, 12½c lb.

Shannon's Butter and Egg Store

327 Fallowfield Avenue.

Personal Mention

Mrs. E. F. Krahmer has returned home from a visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

Walter Reeves and Thomas Barger left this morning for the Canadian woods, Greene county on a hunting trip.

Mrs. H. C. Yon left this morning for Wilkinsburg for a visit with relatives

Harvey Osborne has resigned as special night policeman. He was employed by the merchants.

Mrs. Fred Miller, of Wheeling is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Kimmins, of Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and daughter Ruth [illegible] Centennial week at Pittsburg, relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cook after a six weeks visit with friends in this section left this morning for their home near Dana, Ind.

Miss Mabel Mountsier has left for New York City to take up her duties as teacher in a private school there.

Mrs. Mary J. Hobbs of Fairview, W. Va., who has been the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. A. Wise has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Galbraith, and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Galbraith and family left today for Southern Pines, N. Carolina, where they will spend the winter.

John K. Tener was in Greensburg yesterday to umpire the baseball game between the Greensburg Elks and the Boston American league team. The former won 2 to 0.

Tax [illegible] unexpectedly fast yesterday, according to a report of Tax Collector Parsons this morning. The collections are being continued today.

Eyes Tested FREE.

PRESCRIPTION WORK PROMPTLY FILLED.

All Work Guaranteed.

Wallace Optical Co.

Suite 503-505 Diamond Bank Building

Fifth Ave. and Liberty St.

PITTSBURG, PA.

Use Golden Crescent Flour. At your grocers. 7tf

THE CHARLEROI MAIL WANT COLUMN

ONE CENT PER WORD each insertion if [illegible] CASH. No ad. taken for less than 15 cents. This [illegible] Lost, For Rent, For Sale, Found, Wanted, Etc.

FOR SALE—[illegible] more [illegible] runabout. Apply T. J. Allen, Lock No. 4, Pa. 38tf

FOR RENT—My residence and grounds at Allenwood, Lock No. 4, apply T. J. Allen. 38tf

PROF. RALPH C. SLOANE

Supervisor of School Music, Charleroi Public Schools

Will accept pupils in Violin, Piano and Orchestral instruments. Graduate of Oberlin Conservatory of music and Theodore Normal Music School, of Detroit. Great success as teacher and concert performer.

504 MEADOW AVENUE.

SKIN TORTURES

Thousands of wretched people are miserable—driven almost mad by the terrible itching and burning sensation of Eczema and other skin diseases; many imagine they are suffering from bad blood, when as a matter of fact the blood has nothing to do with it. These awful tortures are caused by little germs that attack the skin externally, which can be routed out in a hurry, leaving the skin clear, soft and healthy. Such misery now cleared away as surely as the sun shines above. Not merely attempted, not a matter of improvement merely, not a temporary relief—but a clearing of it all away absolutely and permanently.

THE

D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION

a specific formula, put up in sealed bottles with authentic label, has proven to be the only certain cure for these diseases. Its record of cures is astonishing, amazing, almost miraculous. It is a liquid, used externally, non-greasy.

Cleansed within one month.

For a number of years my husband has been suffering with a terrible case of eczema. He had doctored with the best skin specialists in the city, but they could not even stop the itching. I was told by a friend of the D. D. D. treatment and began using it at once; the first few applications eased the itching, and in a month's time his flesh was as clear as could be.

Yours truly,
MRS. S. J. HEATH.
61 Pine St.

Rutland, Vt., Oct. 17, 1903.

Piper Brothers

What Is Worth Having Is Worth Going After

MAIL advertisers and readers of MAIL advertisements know where to go after the things worth having

That Is Why They Use

THE MAIL